Financial Statements

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan

Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

September 30, 2004



Michigan Deptartment of Treasury 496 (2-04) Auditing Procedures Report

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Community Mental Health For Central Michigan (the Authority), as of and for the year ended September 30, 2004, which collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Authority's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Authority as of September 30, 2004, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated December 10, 2004 on our consideration of the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and our test of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

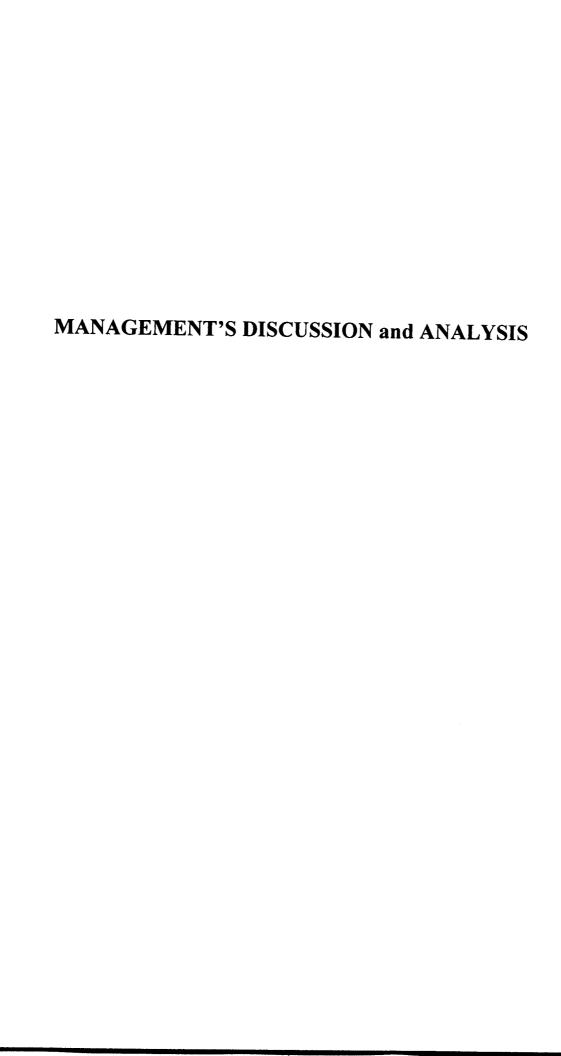
The Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages I-IV, and budgetary comparison information on page 26-27, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations,* and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Authority. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Rosland, Prestage & Company, P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

December 10, 2004



COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH FOR CENTRAL MICHIGAN Financial Statements for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2004 Management's Discussion and Analysis

The management of Community Mental Health for Central Michigan (CMHCM) presents the following overview and analysis of financial activities during the past fiscal year. CMHCM was created as a Mental Health Authority on October 1, 2001 by the joint action of Boards of Commissioners for the Michigan counties of Clare, Gladwin, Isabella, Mecosta, Midland, and Osceola. CMHCM is the successor organization to two separate mental authorities, Midland-Gladwin Community Mental Health Services and Central Michigan Community Mental Health services whose assets and liabilities were wholly transferred to CMHCM.

Overview of the Financial Statements

Two types of financial statements are provided: Government-wide Statements and Fund Statements.

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the organization's finances in a manner similar to a private sector business.

The Statement of Net Assets presents information of all of CMHCM's assets and liabilities with the difference between assets and liabilities being reported as net assets. Changes in net assets serve as a useful indicator in determining whether the financial position is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how net assets changed during the fiscal year. Reporting of activities is on an accrual basis meaning that the change in net assets is reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs regardless of the timing of the related movement of cash.

The fund financial statements report groupings of related accounts that are used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. CMHCM, as a governmental authority, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. These funds are divided into two categories: governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Governmental funds has a narrower focus than that of the government-wide financial statement in that its focus is on the short-term movement of spendable resources and on the balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year.

Proprietary funds are internal service funds which are held as a self-insurance against future risk. These funds consist of state of Michigan Medicaid and General Funds and accumulated interest that must be held for future risk or used to provide authorized services to eligible persons and funds for a self administered post retirement benefit program.

A crosswalk between government-wide and fund statements is included as Appendix A to this discussion. By comparing the two types of statements, the reader may better understand the long-term impact of the organization's immediate year decisions.

Comparison with Prior Year

The financial statements indicate that expenses increased at a greater rate than did revenues during the fiscal year.

Revenues 2004	61,415,275
Revenues 2003	60,679,782
Increase	735,493
Per Cent Increase	1.21%
Expenses 2004	62,117,512
Expenses 2003	60,235,259
Increase	1,882,253
Per Cent Increase	3.12%

This is the second year that this has occurred. The change in expenditure can be attributed to the following factors:

I. Decrease in the personnel costs of 2.97%. This occurred because increases in wages of 4.05% and increase in fringe cost of 4.40% were offset by payment of the health insurance rate stabilization and payment for the early retirement incentive program, both of which took place in the previous fiscal year.

	2003	Increase (Decrease)	2004	Per Cent Change
Salary and Wages	13,286,597	538,684	13,825,281	
Fringes				
Social Security and Social Security Alternative	835,524	28,780	864,304	3.44%
Medicare	187,483	·	,	
Employee Retirement	1,241,516		, 1	
Unemployment	44,666		, , , , , ,	
Health Insurance	2,254,793	' '	, 1	6.70%
Disability Insurance	119,453	18,066	, ,	15.12%
Life Insurance	33,503	5,294	,	15.80%
Worker's Compensation	68,113	(12,094)	56,019	-17.76%
Other Fringe Benefits	11,264	4,044	15,308	35.90%
Total Fringes	4,796,315	<u>256,9</u> 04	<u>5,053,219</u>	5.36%
Total Personnel Cost Before One Time Items	18,082,912	795,588	18,878,500	4.40%
One Time Personnel Expenses				
Employee Retirement Window	645,563	(645,563)		
Medical Insurance - Rate Stabilization	727,200	(727,200)		
Total Personnel Costs	19,455,675	(577,175)	18,878,500	-2.97%
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 Increase in Operating Expenditures of 5.79%. These costs were primarily a result of an increase in the rates paid to subcontractors for residential services and skill building/supported employment services.

Strength of Financial Position

The chart below shows changes in the agency's financial position. Three large changes are notable:

- A reserve had been accumulated for the purpose of providing medical insurance benefits to retirees.
 This reserve has been transferred to the Municipal Employee's Retirement System (MERS) which will now administer these funds as an adjunct to the agency's retirement program.
- The restricted fund balance at the end of 2003 included \$2,340,797 in Medicaid funds carried forward from 2002. At the end of 2004 there are no Medicaid carry forward funds. The unspent Medicaid of \$241,614 has been added to the Medicaid Internal Service Funds.

3. The Substance Abuse Medicaid fund contained \$84,279 which was being held on behalf of other Community Mental Health Agencies who had assumed responsibility for portions of the 30 county area previously served by CMHCM. These funds have been disbursed to the other agencies. The remainder of the funds are available for either substance or mental health services in 2005 and subsequent fiscal years.

Risk Reserves	Balance at 9/30/2003	Increase (Decrease)	Balance at 9/30/2004
Internal Service Funds		(233,333)	0.00.2004
Medicaid	1,637,569	239,629	1,877,198
Substance Abuse	121,152		, ,
General Fund	448,563	(,,	,
Retiree Medical Insurance	1,908,005	1	1
Total Internal Service Funds	4,115,289	(1,722,794)	2,392,495
General Fund			
Fund Balance			
Restricted	3,955,524	(2,114,578)	1,840,946
Unrestricted	5,420,987	, , , ,	6,457,035
Total Fund Balance	9,376,511	(1,078,530)	8,297,981
Funds Available for Risk Management			
Internal Service Funds	2,207,284	185,211	2,392,495
Unrestricted Fund Balance	5,420,987	1,036,048	6,457,035
	7,628,271	1,221,259	8,849,530
Total Expenses	60,235,259	1,882,253	62,117,512
Days of Operation	46	6	52

About the Future:

Funding by the State of Michigan has not improved due to continuing revenue shortfall of several hundred million dollars. The State is obligated by its constitution to have a balanced budget and there is no discernable political activity focused on increasing tax rates; therefore expenditure reductions are the only option. The beginning of fiscal 2005 finds CMHCM with a deficit budget due to continued rising costs and negligible increases in Medicaid and General Fund revenues. Management believes that there are efficiencies which can be realized which will reduce costs without reducing services and has measures underway to identify and implement cost reductions.

An additional question is the future of State/Federal revenues in years after 2005. During fiscal 2004 all Community Mental Health programs participated in gathering service data upon which the state will reallocate Medicaid for fiscal 2006. We regard the outcome of this rebasing as relatively unpredictable both in terms of the amount of Medicaid revenue to be allocated and in the date when the computations will be completed.

Appendix A Crosswalk: Government-wide Statement of Assets and Funds Statements

	Government Wide	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Fund (ISF)	General Fixed Assets
Assets		Tunus	Tuna (ISF)	Assets
Current Assets				
Cash & Cash Equivalents	10,173,095	10,173,095		
Accounts Receivable, Net	827,662	827,662		
Interest receivable	104,802	104,802	į	
Due from other Governmental Units	204,200	204,200		
Prepaid Items	979,167	979,167		
Cash and investments – Restricted		861,779		
Total Current Assets	12,288,926	13,150,705		
Non-current Assets				
Cash and Cash equivalents – restricted	3,012,660		<u>2,150,881</u>	
Due from Other Funds	, , , , , , , ,		<u>241,614</u>	
Capital assets - depreciable, net	1,055,848		271,014	1,055,848
Capital assets, land	230,000			230,000
Total Non-current Assets	4,298,508		2,392,495	
otal Assets	16,587,434	13,150,705	2,392,495	
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable	3,715,967	3,715,967		
Accrued Payroll	682,277	682,277		
Due to other Funds		241,614		
Due to other governmental units	212,866	212,866		
Total Current Liabilities	4,611,110	4,852,724		
Non-current liabilities		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
Compensated absences	861,779			
Total Liabilities	5,472,889			
et Assets	11.114.545			
und Balances				
Invested in capital assets	1,285,848		١,	,285,848
Reserved for Medicaid savings				,205,040
Reserved for compensated absences		861,779		
Reserved for post-employment benefits]		
Internal Service Fund	2,392,495		2,392,495	
Reserved for prepaid items		979,167	-,002,430	
Unreserved	7,436,202	6,457,035		
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BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS -GOVERNMENT WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Net Assets September 30, 2004 and 2003

	Governmental Activities		
Assets	2004	2003	
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$10,173,095	\$11,462,48	
Accounts receivable, net	827,662	609,47	
Interest receivable	104,802	86,94	
Due from other governmental units	204,200	283,14	
Prepaid items	979,167	847,61	
Total current assets	12,288,926	13,289,64	
Noncurrent assets			
Cash and cash equivalents - restricted	2,998,116	4,882,40	
Interest receivable - restricted	14,544	4,002,40	
Capital assets - depreciable, net	1,055,848	1,113,643	
Capital assets - land	230,000	230,000	
Total noncurrent assets	4,298,508	6,226,050	
Total assets	16,587,434	19,515,698	
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	2.715.077	2 420 00-	
Accrued wages and other payroll liabilities	3,715,967	3,428,887	
Due to other governmental units	682,277 212,866	917,991 333,376	
Total current liabilities	4,611,110	4,680,254	
Noncurrent liabilities			
Compensated absences	861,779	767,117	
Total liabilities	5,472,889	5,447,371	
V . A		3,447,371	
Net Assets			
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	1,285,848	1,343,643	
Reserved for Medicaid savings	-	2,340,797	
Reserved for post employment benefits	-	1,908,005	
Reserved for risk management	2,392,495	2,207,285	
Unreserved	7,436,202	6,268,597	
Total net assets	\$11,114,545	\$14,068,327	
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The Notes to the Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement of Activities For The Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

	2003	(\$36,600)	246,127	306,831	270,231	13,798,096	\$14,068,327
	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes Net Assets	(\$3,222,850)	217,743	269,068	(2,953,782)	14,068,327	\$11,114,545
Program Revenues	Operating Grants and Contributions	12,403,101		. ,		ı	11
Program	Charges for Services	48,794,431					
	Expenses	\$64,420,382					
	Functions	Governmental activities Health & Welfare - Mental Health	General revenues Unrestricted investment earnings Restricted investment earnings	Total general revenues and contributions	Change in net assets	Net assets - beginning of year	Net assets - end of year

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Balance Sheet Governmental Funds

September 30, 2004 and 2003

	Gener	al Fund
Assets	2004	2003
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable, net Interest receivable Due from other governmental units Prepaid items	\$10,173,095 827,662 104,802 204,200 979,167	\$11,462,481 609,471 86,940 283,146 847,610
Cash and investments - Restricted	861,779	767,117
Total Assets	\$13,150,705	\$14,056,765
Liabilities		
Accounts payable Accrued wages and other payroll liabilities Due to other funds Due to other governmental units	\$3,715,967 682,277 241,614 212,866	\$3,428,887 917,991 - 333,376
Total liabilities	4,852,724	4,680,254
Fund balances		
Reserved for prepaid items Reserved for Medicaid savings Reserved for compensated absences Unreserved	979,167 - 861,779 6.457,035	847,610 2,340,797 767,117
Total fund balances	6,457,035	5,420,987
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$,297,981 \$13,150,705	9,376,511 \$14,056,765

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Reconciliation Of Fund Balances On The Balance Sheet For Governmental Funds To Net Assets Of Governmental Activities On The Statement Of Net Assets For The Year Ended September 30, 2004

-	Total fund balance - governmental funds	\$8,297,981
-	Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:	
A	Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. Add: capital assets Deduct: accumulated depreciation	3,212,924 (1,927,076)
	An internal service fund is used by management to cover the risk of overspending the Managed Care Specialty Services Program contract. The assets and liabilities of the internal service fund are included in governmental activities in the statement of net assets. Add: net assets of governmental activities accounted	
	for in the internal service fund	2,392,495
	Some liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. Those liabilities consist of: Deduct: Compensated absences	(861,779)
	Net assets of governmental activities	\$11,114,545

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balances Governmental Funds

For The Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

Revenues	Gener	al Fund
State grants	2004	2003
Department of community health contract	\$9,155,896	60.030.1 63
Substance abuse	607,392	\$8,039,162
Title XX	19,342	553,242
Other state revenues	41,714	19,342 41,333
Total state grants	9,824,344	8,653,079
Federal grants	857,957	804,231
Contributions - local units		
County appropriations	1,175,239	1,212,253
Charges for services		
Medicaid - DCH contract	15 950 744	46.055.010
Medicaid - other	45,850,744	46,855,819
Northern expresso program	486,935 83,631	372,044
Client and third party pay	805,504	72,467
Inter-county services	630,058	693,914
Other earned contract revenue	937,559	652,703 915,041
Total charges for services	48,794,431	49,561,988
nterest and rents		- 1,001,000
Interest	217,743	246,127
ther revenue	545,561	202,104
Total revenues	61,415,275	60,679,782

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balances Governmental Funds

For The Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

Expenditures	Genera	ll Fund
Health & Welfare - Mental Health	2004	2003
Current: Personnel costs Operating expenditures Capital outlay	\$18,878,500 43,017,026 221,986	\$19,455,675 40,662,449 117,135
Total expenditures	62,117,512	60,235,259
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(702,237)	444,523
Other Financing Sources (uses) Operating transfer in (out)	(376,293)	(1,874,293)
Excess of revenues and other sources over (under) expenditures and other uses	(1,078,530)	(1,429,770)
Fund balance, beginning of year	9,376,511	10,806,281
Fund balance, end of year	\$8,297,981	\$9,376,511

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Reconciliation Of The Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balances Of Governmental Funds To The Statement Of Activities For The Year Ended September 30, 2004

,	Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	(\$1,078,530)
	Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
:	Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over	
	their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.	
	Add: capital outlay Deduct: depreciation expense	221,986 (265,614)
1	An internal service fund is used by management to cover the risk of	
,	The net revenue (expense) of the fund attributable to those funds is	
	reported with governmental activities.	(1,722,795)
*	Sale of capital asset proceeds are recognized as revenues in the governmental funds, but only the gain or loss is recognized in the statement of activities	(14,167)
:	Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in the funds.	
-	Deduct: increase in accrual for compensated absences	(94,662)
	Change in net assets of governmental activities	_(\$2,953,782)

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Net Assets Proprietary Funds September 30, 2004 and 2003

	Risk	Retiree Medical	Government Internal Ser	_
	Management	Insurance	2004	2003
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents Accrued interest Due from other funds	\$2,136,337 14,544 241,614	- - -	\$2,136,337 14,544 241,614	\$4,115,290 - -
Total assets	\$2,392,495	_	\$2,392,495	\$4,115,290
Liabilities	-	-	-	
Net Assets Reserved	\$2,392,495		\$2,392,495	\$4,115,290

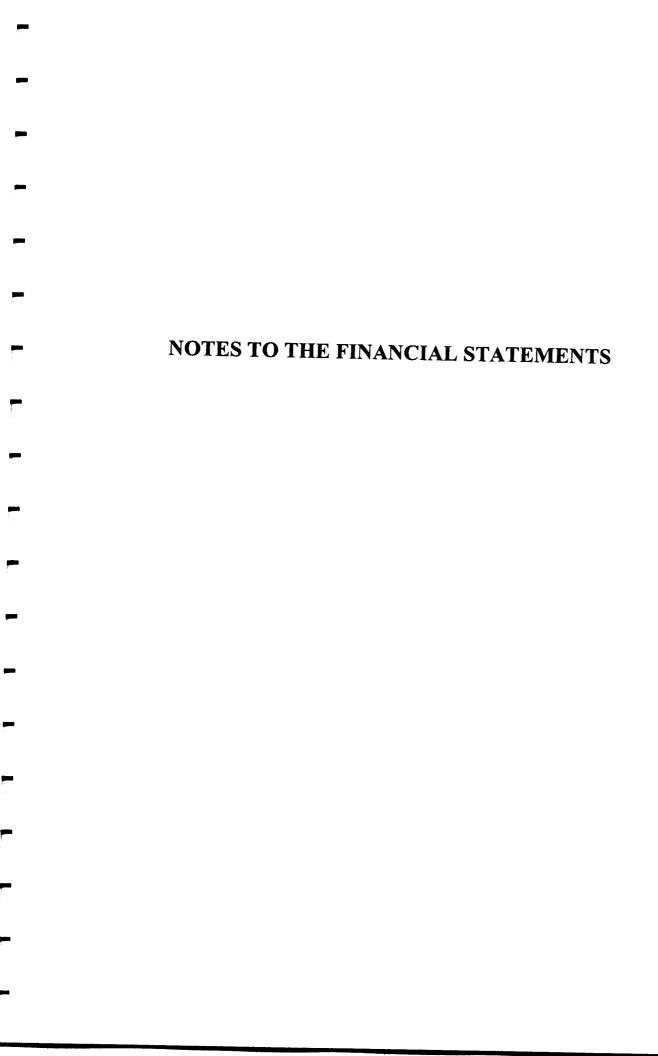
Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Revenues, Expenses And Changes In Fund Net Assets Proprietary Funds

For The Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

	Risk Management	Retiree Medical Insurance		ntal Activities ervice Funds 2003
Omenating				
Operating expenses Post employment benefits		\$97,473	\$97,473	-
Operating loss	-	(97,473)	(97,473)	•
Non-operating revenues (expense)				
Interest income	\$27,876	23,449	51,325	\$60,704
Income before transfers and other contributions	27,876	(74,024)	(46,148)	60,704
Transfers				
Operating transfers in - other funds Operating transfers (out) - other entities	241,613 (84,279)	134,680 (1,968,661)	376,293 (2,052,940)	1,874,293
Total transfers	157,334	(1,833,981)	(1,676,647)	1,874,293
Change in net assets	185,210	(1,908,005)	(1,722,795)	1,934,997
Net assets, beginning of year	2,207,285	1,908,005	4,115,290	2,180,293
Net assets, end of year	\$2,392,495	\$ -	\$2,392,495	\$4,115,290

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Cash Flows Proprietary Funds For The Years Ended September 30, 2004 and 2003

-		Risk Management	Retiree Medical Insurance		ervice Funds
	Cash flows from operating activities Cash payments of post employment benefits	-	(\$97,473)	(\$97,473)	-
	Cash flows from noncapital financial activities Operating transfers in Operating transfers out	\$0 (84,279)	134,680 (1,968,661)	134,680 (2,052,940)	\$1,874,293
-	Net cash provided (used) for noncapital financial activities	(84,279)	(1,833,981)	(1,918,260)	1,874,293
•	Cash flows from investing activities Proceeds from interest earnings	13,331	23,449	36,780	60,704
•	Net increase (decrease) in cash	(70,948)	(1,908,005)	(1,978,953)	1,934,997
	Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	2,207,285	1,908,005	4,115,290	2,180,293
	Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$2,136,337	\$ -	\$2,136,337	\$4,115,290
	Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provide by (used for) operating activities: Operating income (loss) Net cash used by operating activities	led	\$ (97,473) \$ (97,473)	\$ (97,473) \$ (97,473)	<u>-</u>



NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan (the Authority) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the Authority.

In June of 1999, the GASB issued Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments. The significant changes included in Statement No. 34 include the following:

- A Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section providing an analysis of the Authority's overall financial position and results of operations.
- Financial statements prepared using full accrual accounting for all of the Authority's activities
- A change in the fund financial statements to focus on major funds.

These and other changes are reflected in the accompanying financial statements (including the notes to the financial statements). The Authority has implemented the provisions of Statement No. 34 effective October 1, 2001.

Reporting Entity

The Authority operates as a Community Mental Health Authority under the provisions of Act 258 - Public Acts of 1974, as amended. The Authority provides funding for services in the areas of mental illness, developmental disabilities, and other related mental health needs for residents of Isabella, Mecosta, Osceola, Clare, Midland and Gladwin Counties.

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with criteria established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board for determining the various governmental organizations to be included in the reporting entity. These criteria include significant operational financial relationships that determine which of the governmental organizations are a part of the Authority's reporting entity, and which organizations are legally separate, component units of the Authority. Based on the application of the criteria, the Authority does not contain any component units.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e. the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the Authority. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. *Governmental activities*, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a function are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include charges to consumers who purchase, use or directly benefit from services provided by a given function. Program revenues also include grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues. Resources that are dedicated internally are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

Net assets are restricted when constraints placed on them are either externally imposed or are imposed by constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Internally imposed designations of resources are not presented as restricted net assets. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, generally it is the Authority's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

Government-Wide Financial Statements – The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental Fund Financial Statements - The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Authority considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal year end. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting.

Modifications to the accrual basis of accounting include:

- Employees' vested annual leave is recorded as expenditures when utilized. The amount of accumulated annual leave unpaid at September 30, has been reported only in the government-wide financial statements.
- Interest on general long-term obligations is recognized when paid.
- Debt service expenditures and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

<u>Proprietary Fund Financial Statements</u> – The financial statements of the proprietary funds are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, similar to the government-wide statements described above.

Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989, are followed to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. Revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses. The principal operating revenues of the internal service fund are charges to other funds for insurance services. Operating expenses for internal service funds include the cost of claims, administration and reinsurance. Any revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

The Authority reports the following major governmental and proprietary funds:

Governmental Funds - General Fund - This fund is the Authority's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the Authority, except those required to be accounted for in other funds.

Proprietary Funds - Internal Service Fund - These funds represent amounts set aside to fund the net uninsured exposure of potential shortfalls of contract revenues.

Comparative Data

Comparative total data for the prior year has been presented in order to provide an understanding of the changes in financial position and operations. Also, certain amounts presented in the prior year may have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

Budgetary Data

Budgets are adopted by the Authority for all governmental funds. The budget is adopted and prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The budget is also adopted at the function level. The budgeted revenues and expenditures for governmental fund types, as presented in this report, include any authorized amendments to the original budget as adopted.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Authority's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, money market funds, demand deposits and short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes the Authority to deposit and invest in the accounts of Federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations; bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or Federal agency obligation repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rated by two standard rating agencies within the two highest classifications, which mature not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan. Financial institutions eligible for deposit of public funds must maintain an office in Michigan. The Authority's deposits are in accordance with statutory authority.

Receivables and Payables between Funds

Activity between funds that are representative of lending / borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to / from other funds" (i.e. the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to / from other funds" (i.e. the non-current portion of interfund loans). Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances".

Receivables

Accounts receivable in all funds report amounts that have arisen in the ordinary course of business and are stated net of allowances for uncollectible amounts.

Interest receivable represents amounts due the Authority for certificates of deposit that have not yet matured.

Due from other governmental entities consist primarily of amounts due from the Michigan Department of Community Health and the State of Michigan.

Inventories

The Authority does not recognize as an asset inventories of supplies. The cost of these supplies is considered immaterial to the financial statements and the quantities are not prone to wide fluctuation from year to year. The costs of such supplies are expensed when purchased.

Prepaid Items

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the governmental column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as individual assets with an initial cost equal to or more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized.

The Authority does not have infrastructure type assets.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during construction of capital assets is not capitalized. No interest expense was incurred during the current year.

Capital assets utilized in the governmental funds are recorded as expenditures in the governmental fund financial statements. Depreciation expense is recorded in the government-wide financial statements.

Capital assets of the Authority are depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	Years
Equipment and Furnishings	3-7
Computers	2-5
Automobiles Ruildings and L	5
Buildings and Improvements Land	7-30
Luit	Not Applicable - Not Depreciated

Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenues arise when resources are received by the Authority before it has a legal claim to them. In subsequent periods, when the revenue recognition criterion is met, or when the Authority has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the fund financial statements and government-wide financial statements, and revenue is recognized.

Compensated Absences

The Authority allows employees to carryover into the following year, any unused, paid time off, up to a maximum of 280 hours. All regular full time employees accrue annual leave on a per-pay basis. Amounts accrued vary depending on the employee's length of service with the Authority. Upon termination of employment, annual leave balances are paid at the current rate of pay. The governmental fund financial statements record expenditures when employees are paid for leave. The government-wide financial statements present the cost of accumulated vacation leave as a liability. There is no liability for unpaid sick leave since the Authority does not have a policy to pay this amount upon termination of employment.

Restricted Assets

Cash has been restricted for future payment of the compensated absences liability and risk management. These restricted assets are held in separate cash accounts with local financial institutions.

Governmental Fund - Fund Balance Reserves and Designations

The governmental fund financial statements present fund balance reserves for those portions of fund balance (1) not available for appropriation for expenditure or (2) legally segregated for a specific future use. The reserves for related assets such as prepaid items are examples of the former. Reserves for Medicaid Savings, compensated absences and post employment benefits are examples of the latter.

Inpatient / Residential Cost Liability

The amount recorded for inpatient/residential liability is based on management's estimate. This estimate is based on 1) the number of clients at each facility, 2) the number of days each client is at each facility, and 3) the daily rate charged for each facility.

The Authority does not receive actual billings for these services until several months after the service date. Therefore, the liability is not liquidated within the normal 60 day period after year end. Also, the actual cost may vary from the estimated due to reimbursements from third party payors that are applied to the total cost before the billings are sent to the Authority.

2. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information

Annual budgets are adopted at the function level and on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for the general fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year. The Authority does not maintain a formalized encumbrance accounting system. The budgeted revenues and expenditures, as presented in this report, include any authorized amendments to the original budget as adopted.

Excess of Expenditures over Appropriations

P.A. 621 of 1978, Section 18(1), as amended, provides that a local unit shall not incur expenditures in excess of the amount appropriated.

During the year ended September 30, 2004, the Authority did not incur expenditures in excess of the amounts appropriated.

3. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

Deposits and Investments

At year end, the carrying amount of deposits for the Authority was \$13,171,211, and the bank balance was \$13,687,280. Of the bank balance, \$400,000 was covered by federal depository insurance and the remaining, was uninsured and uncollateralized.

The Authority believes that due to the dollar amounts of cash deposits and the limits of FDIC insurance, it is impractical to insure all bank deposits. As a result, the Authority evaluates each financial institution with which it deposits government funds and assesses the level of risk of each institution. Only those institutions with an acceptable estimated risk level are used as depositories.

A reconciliation of cash and investments as shown on the Statement of Net Assets follows:

Cash and Cash Faviral	2004	2003
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$10,173,095	\$11,462,481
Cash and Cash Equivalents – Restricted	2,998,116	4,882,40
Total	¢12 171 211	
	\$13,171,211	\$16,344,888

Interfund Receivables and Payables

The amount of interfund receivables and payables at September 30, are as follows:

Fund Fund	Due From Other Funds	Due To Other Funds
General Fund	_	
Internal Service Fund	\$241,614	\$241,614
Totals	\$241,614	\$241,614

Interfund Transfers

Fund	Transfer From Other Funds	Tronsfer T. Ott.
General Fund	Trom other rulus	Transfer To Other Funds
	-	\$376,293
Internal Service Fund	\$376,293	\$270,275
Totals		
Totals	\$376,293	\$376,293

Due from Other Governmental Units

As of September 30, this receivable consisted of the following:

Mighigan Day	2004	2003
Michigan Department of Community Health -		
OBRA Grant	\$102,580	\$103,554
Michigan Department of Community Health -	4102,000	\$103,334
Juvenile Justice Grant	23,378	11,957
Midland County Intermediate School District -		11,937
Early On Grant	27,436	36,257
County Appropriation Receivable	,,,,,	77,979
Other Governmental Units	50,806	
	30,800	53,399
Total		
	\$204,200	\$283,146

Changes in Fixed Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets is as follows:

Governmental Activities	Beginning Balance	Additions	Disposals	Ending Balance
Equipment and			Disposais	Datance
Furnishings	\$880,079	\$148,788	(\$67,987)	\$960,880
Computers	576,224	45,833	(\$07,507)	622,057
Automobiles	649,084	19,200	(21,700)	
Buildings and		17,200	(21,700)	646,584
Improvements	745,238	8,165	-	752 402
Land	230,000		···	753,403
				230,000
Sub-totals	3,080,625	221,986	(89,687)	2 212 024
Accumulated			(87,087)	3,212,924
Depreciation	(1,736,982)	(265,614)	75,520	(1.027.076)
Totals	\$1,343,643	\$(43,628)	\$(14,167)	(1,927,076) \$1,285,848

Depreciation expense was charged to the Health & Welfare - Mental Health Program.

Accrued Wages and Other Payroll Liabilities

This liability represents amounts paid to employees during October that was earned during September. Also included are employer payroll taxes.

Due to Other Governmental Units

As of September 30, this liability consists of the following:

Michigan Danartment of C	2004	2003
Michigan Department of Community Health – Risk Authorization Reduction		
Michigan Department of Community Health - State		\$23,356
Institutions Team Treatm - State	\$212,866	310,020
Total	\$212,866	\$333,376

Long Term Liabilities

The changes in long term liabilities during the 2004 fiscal year are as follows:

Governmental Activities	Beginning Balance	Additions	Decreases	Ending
Compensated		114410113	Decreases	Balance
Absences	\$767,117	\$94,662	\$-	\$861,779

Leases

The Authority has entered into various operating leases for the use of real and personal property. Operating leases do not give rise to property rights or lease obligations, and therefore, the lease agreements are not reflected in the account groups.

At September 30, the Authority was committed, subject to cancellation provisions, for rental payments under operating leases as follows:

YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30,	AMOUNT	
2005	\$1,371,406	
2006		
2007	316,974	
2008	202,601	
	173,379	
2009	155,339	
2010 – 2014	258,789	

4. OTHER INFORMATION

Compliance Audits

All governmental grants are subject to a transactional and compliance audit by the grantors or their representatives. Therefore, an indeterminable contingency exists for expenditures, which may be disallowed by the granting agencies.

Risk Management

Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority

The Authority participated in the public entity risk pool – Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority (MMRMA) for liability, vehicle physical damage, and property and crime.

MMRMA, a separate legal entity, is a self-insured association organized under the laws of the State of Michigan to provide self-insurance protection against loss and risk management services to various Michigan governmental entities.

As a member of this pool, the Authority is responsible for paying all losses, including damages, loss adjustment expenses and defense costs, for each occurrence that falls within the member's self-insured retention. If a covered loss exceeds MMRMA's limits, all further payments for such loss are the sole obligation of the Authority. If for any reason, the MMRMA's resources available to pay losses are depleted, the payment of all unpaid losses of the Authority is the sole obligation of the Authority.

The Authority's coverage limits are \$15,000,000 for liability and between \$10,000 and \$200,000,000 for property and crime.

Internal Service Funds

The Authority has established 3 Internal Service Funds to cover the risk of overspending the Managed Care Specialty Services Program contract. This contract provides for the use of Department of Community Health funding for the establishment of Internal Service Funds.

Expenditures from the Internal Service Funds will occur when, in any one fiscal year, the Authority finds it necessary to expend more funds to carry out the contract requirements than revenue provided by the contract.

Additionally, the Authority has established an Internal Service Fund to account for health insurance benefits provided to retirees. Additional information related to this benefit is described on page 23 of this report.

Employee Retirement and Benefit Systems

Plan Description

The Authority participates in the Michigan Municipal Employees Retirement System (MERS), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers all of the Authority's regular full-time employees. The system provides retirement, disability and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Company, One Towne Square, Suite 800, Southfield, Michigan 48076.

The most recent period for which actuarial data was available was for the year ended December 31, 2003. The Authority's payroll for the employees covered by the system for the year ended December 31, 2003 was \$12,243,522.

As of December 31, 2003, employee membership data related to the pension plan was as follows:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	51
Active plan participants	321
Vested former members	76
Total	448

Funding Policy

If a member leaves the Authority or dies, without a retirement allowance or other benefit payable on his / her account, his / her accumulated contributions will be refunded to him / her, if living, or to his / her nominated beneficiary.

Benefit programs and provisions are established by the Retirement Board. All benefits vest after 10 years of service, except that benefits may vest after eight or six years of service if adopted by the municipality's governing body. The standard retirement age is 60 years; however, members may retire with several combinations of age and years of service and receive reduced early retirement benefits. Municipalities may adopt various other benefit programs which allow retirement at an earlier age with unreduced benefits based upon combinations of age and years of service, or just years of service. MERS also provides non-duty disability and death benefits to members after vesting requirements are met.

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Notes To The Financial Statements

Funding Status and Progress

The amount shown below as the "pension benefit obligation" is based on the standardized disclosure measure of the present value of pension benefits, adjusted for the effects of projected salary increases and separate benefits, estimated to be payable in the future as a result of employee services to date. The measure is the actuarial present value of credited projected benefits and is intended to (1) help users assess the plan's funding status of the system on a going-concern basis; (2) assess progress made in accumulating sufficient assets to pay benefits when due; and (3) make comparisons among public employee retirement plans. The measure is independent of the actuarial funding method used to determine contributions to the plan.

The pension benefit obligation was determined as part of an actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2003. Significant actuarial assumptions used in determining the pension benefit obligation include (a) a rate of return on the investment of present and future assets of 8.0% and (b) projected salary increases of 4.5% per year plus a percentage based on an age-related scale to reflect merit, longevity and promotional salary increases.

At December 31, 2003, the assets were less than the pension benefit obligation by \$3,468,815, determined as follows:

GASB 25 Information	
Actuarial Accrued Liability	
Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	## ## ## ## ## ## ## ## ## ## ## ## ##
Terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$7,989,142
Non-vested terminated employees	2,071,779
Current Employees:	22,874
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	
Employer financed	1,146,959
Total actuarial assessed 11 1 11	18,239,844
Total actuarial accrued liability	\$29,470,598
Net assets available for benefits at actuarial value (market = \$23,742,430)	
Unfunded actuarial accrued liability	26,001,783
GASB 27 Information	\$3,468,815
Fiscal Year Beginning	
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	October 1, 2005
Amortization factor used _ under factor 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	\$1,356,576
Amortization factor used – under-funded liabilities (30 years)	.053632

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Notes To The Financial Statements

Three year trend information follows:

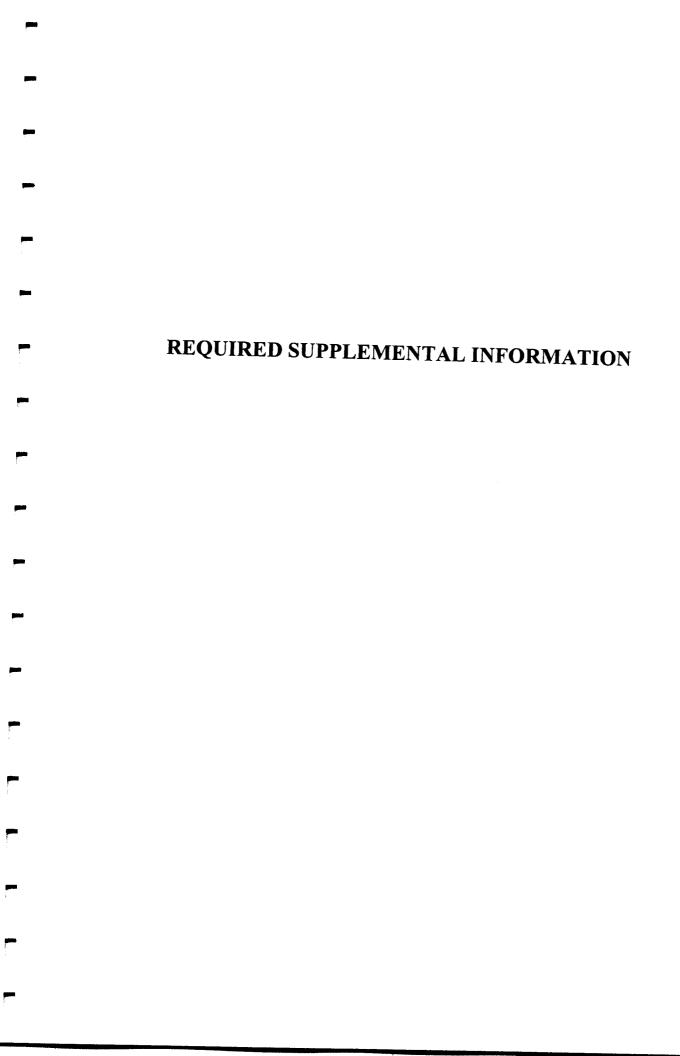
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Health Insurance Benefits

In addition to providing pension benefits through MERS, the Authority, in accordance with agreements with MERS, provides post employment health insurance benefits to certain employees.

A defined benefit Health Savings Program has been established with MERS for employees that retire on or before October 1, 2004. As of September 30, 2004, there were 29 retired individuals eligible to receive benefits under this program. The retirees are required to pay for a portion of their health care costs based on their age and years of service at retirement. The Authority also pays a portion of these costs, with a maximum per retiree benefit of \$400 per month.

A defined contribution Health Savings Program has also been established with MERS for certain employees who are not eligible to receive benefits under the above mentioned defined benefit Health Savings Program. Employees of the Authority become eligible for this benefit if they work two bi-weekly pay periods per month with at least 60 hours worked for each of these pay periods. The Authority will contribute a maximum of \$60 per month to MERS for each eligible employee who receives this fringe benefit.



Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balance - Budget And Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended September 30, 2004

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		737,339	(43,632
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Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Statement Of Revenues, Expenditures And Changes In Fund Balance - Budget And Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended September 30, 2004

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance Between
Expenditures	Original	Final	Actual	Actual and Final Budget
Health & Welfare - Mental Health Current:				
Personnel costs Operating expenditures Capital outlay	\$19,078,403 44,403,536 276,910	\$19,253,416 44,570,346 276,910	\$18,878,500 43,017,026 221,986	\$374,916 1,553,320 54,924
Total expenditures	63,758,849	64,100,672	62,117,512	1,983,160
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(3,493,795)	(2,526,446)	(702,237)	1,824,209
Other Financing Sources (uses) Operating transfer in (out)	(134,679)	(136,128)	(376,293)	(240,165)
Excess of revenues and other sources over (under) expenditures and other uses	(3,628,474)	(2,662,574)	(1,078,530)	1,584,044
Fund balance, beginning of year	9,376,511	9,376,511	9,376,511	· ,
Fund balance, end of year	\$5,748,037	\$6,713,937	\$8,297,981	\$1,584,044



REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Directors Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

We have audited the basic financial statements of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan as of and for the year ended September 30, 2004, and have issued our report thereon dated December 10, 2004. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Community Mental Health For Central Michigan's basic financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Community Mental Health For Central Michigan's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the basic financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses.

A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the basic financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions.

We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, we noted other matters involving the internal control over financial reporting that we have reported to management of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan, in a separate letter dated December 10, 2004.

This report is intended for the information of the audit committee, management, Board of Directors, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Roslund, Prestage & Company, P.C. Certified Public Accountants

December 10, 2004



REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Board of Directors Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement, that are applicable to its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2004. The Board's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its major federal programs is the responsibility of the Board's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Board's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Board's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures, as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Board's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2004.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Board's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, Board of Directors, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Certified Public Accountants

December 10, 2004

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH FOR CENTRAL MICHIGAN SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2004

GPFS						'n
GPFS Federal Revenue Recognized \$35,000	46,412 17,471 7,695 4,580 35,803 5,868 5,868 50,723	450,949	4,875	40,000 158,581 198,581	857,957	\$857,957
Current Year Adjustments		•	•		4	•
Accrued (Deferred) Revenue At 9-30-04	2,777 2,777 4,800 4,972	102,580	,	1,837 15,640 17,477	159,282	\$159,282
Current Year Year Expenditures \$35,000	17,471 17,695 4,580 35,803 5,868 50,723 203,552	450,949	4,875	40,000 158,581 198,581	857,957	8857,957
Current Year Receipts S31,702	17,471 4,918 4,580 31,003 896 50,723	348,369	4,875	38,163 142,941 181,104	698,675	\$698,675
Approved Grant Award Amount S35,000 \$0,000	17,471 27,249 5,348 75,000 10,060 50,723	n/a	n/a	40,000 158,581		
Grant / Project Number 03 B1 MI CMHS-02 03 B1 MI CMHS-02	03 B1 MI CMHS-02 04 B1 MI CMHS 04 B1 MI CMHS 04 B1 MI CMHS 04 B1 MI CMHS 04 B1 MI CMHS	2003 1634	CTFDS 02-56001	WRAP 01-56001 CAN 02-26001-2		
CFDA Number Number 93.958	93.958 93.958 93.958 93.958 93.958	93.778	93.556	93.558 93.558		
Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title Department Of Health And Human Services Passed Through The Michigan Department of Community Health Block Grants For Community Mental Health Services	Block Grants For Community Mental Health Services	Passed Through The Michigan Department of Community Health Medical Assistance Program	Passed Through The State Of Michigan Family Independence Agency Promoting Safe and Stable Families Passed Through The State Of Michigan Family Independence Agency	I emporary Assistance for Needy Families Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Total - Denorthment Of Delicity	Copariment Of Realth And Human Services	Grand Totals

Community Mental Health For Central Michigan Schedule Of Findings And Questioned Costs Year Ended September 30, 2004

A. SUMMARY OF AUDIT RESULTS

- The auditor's report expresses an unqualified opinion on the basic financial statements of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan.
 - There were no reportable conditions disclosed as a result of the audit of the basic financial statements.
- No instances of noncompliance material to the basic financial statements of the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan were disclosed during the audit.
- There were no reportable conditions disclosed during the audit of the major federal award programs.
- The auditor's report on compliance for the major federal award programs for the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan expresses an unqualified opinion.
- Audit findings relative to the major federal award programs for the Community Mental Health For Central Michigan are reported in Part C of this report.
 - The programs tested as major programs are the following:
 - Block Grants for Community Mental Health Services CFDA # 93.958
 - Temporary Assistance for Needy Families CFDA # 93.558

The threshold for distinguishing Types A and B programs was \$300,000.

The Board was determined to be a low-risk auditee.

B. FINDINGS - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AUDIT

None.

C. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COST - MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT.

None.



MANAGEMENT LETTER

Board of Directors Community Mental Health for Central Michigan Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements for Community Mental Health for Central Michigan for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2004, we considered the internal control structure to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure.

However, during our audit we became aware of matters that are opportunities for strengthening internal controls and operating efficiency. The memorandum that accompanies this letter summarizes our comments and suggestions regarding those matters.

This letter does not affect our audit report dated December 10, 2004, on the financial statements of Community Mental Health for Central Michigan.

We will review the status of these comments during our next audit engagement. We have discussed these comments and suggestions with management, and will be pleased to discuss them in further detail at your convenience, to perform any additional study of these matters, or to assist you in implementing the recommendations.

Sincerely,

Roslund, Prestage & Company, P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

December 10, 2004

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STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR RECOMMENDATIONS

During the audit we were pleased to note that all of the recommendations identified in the management letter from the prior year had been reviewed <u>and</u> implemented. We commend you on your efforts to strengthen internal controls and we believe that by implementing steps noted in the management letter, the Community Mental Health for Central Michigan will reap the benefits of greater operating efficiency.

CURRENT YEAR COMMENTS:

Timeliness of Billings

During our audit, we have found that the Authority has not timely billed Medicare or Blue Cross Blue Shield for services provided due to complications with the electronic billing procedures required by these two payors.

Because of the substantial amount of services provided by the Authority where reimbursement is due from these providers, this issue needs to be addressed as soon as possible. At a minimum, billings should be submitted to these payers no later than 30 days after the service date.

Perform a Fraud Risk Assessment

In light of the wave of notorious frauds involving large companies in the last few years, such as Enron, WorldCom, and HealthSouth, there may be a misperception that fraud affects only large companies. However, fraud occurs in companies of all sizes, and almost any employee may be capable of perpetrating a fraudulent act given the right set of circumstances. In fact, fraud may be a more significant problem for small companies. In the 2002 survey of its members conducted by the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE), the median loss per fraud occurrence reported from businesses with 100 or fewer employees was \$127,500, a proportionately larger loss than the \$97,000 median loss in companies with 10,000 or more employees.

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Perform a Fraud Risk Assessment (continued)

Whereas the highly publicized frauds at large public companies like Enron, WorldCom, and HealthSouth involved fraudulent financial reporting, for small companies, one of the primary fraud risks is the ever-present risk of misappropriation of assets (theft), particularly fraudulent cash disbursements. The opportunity to commit and conceal fraud exists where there are assets susceptible to misappropriation and there are inadequate controls to prevent or detect the fraud. To address this risk, we recommend that the Authority perform a risk assessment to identify, analyze, and manage the risk of asset misappropriation. Risk assessment, including fraud risk assessment, is one element of internal control. Thus, ideally, the Authority's internal control should include performance of this assessment, even though our annual financial statement audits include consideration of fraud.

The fraud risk assessment can be informal and performed by a management-level individual. Ordinarily, the management-level individual would conduct interviews or lead group discussions with personnel who have extensive knowledge of the Authority, its environment, and its processes. The fraud risk assessment process should consider the Authority's vulnerability to misappropriation of assets. When conducting the self-assessment, questions such as the following can be considered:

- Which individuals in the Authority have the opportunity to misappropriate assets? These are individuals who have access to assets susceptible to theft and to records that can be falsified or manipulated to conceal the theft.
- Are there any known pressures that would motivate individuals with the opportunity to misappropriate assets? Pressures may relate to financial stress or dissatisfaction. In assessing whether these pressures may exist, the assessor should consider whether there is any information that indicates potential financial stress or dissatisfaction of individuals with access to assets susceptible to misappropriation.
- What assets of the Authority are susceptible to misappropriation?
- Are there any known internal control weaknesses that would allow misappropriation of assets to occur and remain undetected?
- How could assets be stolen? Assets can be stolen in many ways besides merely removing them from the premises. For example, cash can be stolen by writing checks to fictitious individuals or vendors and cashing them for personal use. Inventory or other assets can be stolen through sales to fictitious customers.

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Perform a Fraud Risk Assessment (continued)

- How could potential misappropriation of assets be concealed? Because many frauds create accounting anomalies, the perpetrator must hide the fraud by running it through as an adjustment to another account. Generally, fraud perpetrators may use accounts that are not closely monitored.
- What factors might indicate that the Authority has a culture or environment that would enable management or individuals to rationalize committing fraud?

Once areas vulnerable to fraud have been identified, a review of the Authority's systems, procedures, and existing controls relating to the identified areas should be conducted. The Authority should consider what additional controls need to be implemented to reduce the risk of fraud. There are two basic types of controls—those that are designed to address specific types of fraud, and those that are more general in nature. General controls that reduce an individual's ability to commit fraud without detection include the following:

- Requiring Periodic Job Rotation and Mandatory Vacations. When an employee stays in the same position for a long period and has few absences, an opportunity exists for that employee to design and commit fraud schemes. Requiring key individuals to rotate jobs periodically or to transfer to different job functions is one way to address this fraud risk. Requiring all individuals to take an annual vacation, during which time others perform their job functions, also makes it more difficult for an employee who is committing fraud to continue concealing the fraud scheme.
- Preparing and Reviewing Monthly Financial Statements in a Timely Fashion. As previously mentioned, many frauds create accounting anomalies. Thus, one way to detect fraud on a timely basis is to review monthly financial statements and investigate unusual variances. If possible, these statements should include budget, prior period, and year-to-date amounts to help identify variances. Performing the review and investigation on a timely basis helps minimize the extent of potential fraud.
- Implementing an Employee Hotline. Tips and complaints from fellow employees or vendors have enabled many companies to discover occurrences of fraud. Anonymous telephone hotlines allow honest employees and vendors who may fear retaliation from fraud perpetrators to report unethical behavior without risking exposure.

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Perform a Fraud Risk Assessment (continued)

Examples of controls to prevent or detect specific types of fraud include the following:

- <u>Independent Checks of work performed.</u> Independent checks test another employee's work, such as by having a second employee re-perform or test an employee's work.
- <u>Separation of Duties</u>. Separation of duties is one of the most effective controls to prevent or detect misappropriations of assets. When possible, incompatible duties should be performed by different employees. For example, the responsibility for authorizing transactions, recording transactions, and maintaining custody of assets should be assigned to different people in the Authority to the extent possible.

When assessing the Authority's internal control, the relationship between the nature and extent of fraud controls recommended and the cost of implementing those controls should be considered. For example, instead of trying to prevent fraud, the Authority may choose to use more detective controls to ensure that the fraud is identified and corrected in a timely fashion. Because detective controls are performed after the original transaction occurs, they may be easier to implement and more cost effective.

We would be pleased to provide more information about performing a risk assessment or assist management in performing one.